

A circular black and white stamp. The outer ring contains the text "OIPE" at the top and "PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE" at the bottom. In the center, the date "MAY 02 2002" is stamped.

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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

1. On pages 42, 44, and 48, please replace the schemes with the corrected schemes shown in the next three pages. In addition, in the previous amendment filed on February 19, 2002, please cancel the amendment starting “Brief Description of the figures: ...Example 19 on page 45.” (page 5, lines 2-8).